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FM AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9483

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EAID, LA, US
SUBJECT: LAO REQUESTS FOR U.S. ASSISTANCE

REF: A) STATE 200729; B) VIENTIANE: 0846

1. THE LAO GOVERNMENT HAS NOT INITIATED ANY DISCUSSION WITH EMBASSY VIENTIANE OF POSSIBLE U.S. ASSISTANCE FOR AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT OR DAM CONSTRUCTION. ANY AID DISCUSSIONS WE HAVE HELD HAVE BEEN ON PL 480 TITLE II FOOD COMMODITIES. WE ASSUME ANY OTHER TYPES OF AID ARE OUT OF THE QUESTION FOR NOW IN LIGHT OF LEGAL RESTRICTIONS. HOWEVER, WE WOULD APPRECIATE THE LATEST DEPARTMENT THINKING ON THIS IN CASE THE LAO DO ASK US.

2. AS WE HAVE REPORTED(REF B), 6,000 TONS OF OUR RICE AID IS SCHEDULED FOR WFP FOOD FOR WORK IRRIGATION PROJECTS NO 2446 AND 2447, BUT THIS DOES NOT SEEM TO BE WHAT THE LAO ARE TALKING ABOUT. THE DETAILS OF THESE PROJECTS WERE NOT WORKED OUT BETWEEN THE LAO AND THE EMBASSY BUT RATHER BETWEEN THE LAO AND UNDP/VIENTIANE AND BETWEEN THE USG AND WFP/ROME.
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